

CHARITON COURIER,

VANDIVER & COLLINS, PROP'S.

KEYTESVILLE, - MISSOURI.

Only three more weeks until we publish that delinquent list. Come in, and pay up before that time.

Fresh Cranberries at BUTLER'S.

Hides and pelts wanted at P. W. Holley's.

Those new vest chains at Zilhart's are beauties.

Go to Wheeler & Gilliam's to buy your steel nails.

Dr. J. Knott, of Westville, was on our streets Tuesday.

A car load of salt just received at Wheeler & Gilliam's.

All signs for a mild winter seem to be growing beautifully less.

If your watch or clock is out of repair take it to J. E. Zilhart.

Rock bottom prices on groceries at Wheeler & Gilliam's for SPOT CASH.

A full line of sugars and coffees, teas and spices always on hand at Butler's.

J. C. Parks, of Clark township, made us a pleasant and substantial call Monday.

Mrs. M. E. Miller has a handsome line of saphy and ladies' hose. Call and see them.

A. G. Kennedy, of Brunswick, was down Monday and made us a pleasant and substantial call.

Take your boots and shoes that need repairing to Walter Dixon, one poor west of the city meat market.

Treasurer Kellogg went up to Kansas City Friday evening on business and returned Sunday morning.

Special inducements offered to cash customers at Wheeler & Gilliam's new grocery store. A call solicited.

Jas. Wren went down to St. Louis last week with a shipment of hogs. He had a No. 1 lot and got \$4.20 per hundred pounds.

The nicest, freshest and largest line of groceries in Keytesville, can be found at Wheeler & Gilliam's new grocery house.

The young folks report a very pleasant time who attended the candy pulling at Mr. D. B. Kellogg's last Friday night.

If you want something that will wear well buy the famous Giescke boots and shoes. Sold by M. W. Anderson & Co., Keytesville, Mo.

Have your boots and shoes made to order by Walter Dixon, who guarantees satisfaction. Stop one door west of Thrash Bros. butcher shop.

Our clever German friend, Fred Linneman, of Chariton township, was in the capital Monday, and placed us under obligations for appreciated favors.

Rev. R. S. Maupin, Westville, John Kunzler, Charneville, and Jas. F. Lucas, Keytesville, enlist in the Corncrier's grand and bustling throng of paid-ups this week.

Our gentlemanly loan agents Messrs. Phillips & Elliott, during the past year have loaned \$138,700, and now have a list of applications amounting to \$6,000 on hand from various persons, which are being considered.

"Lots" of goodies in the way of edibles and numerous articles of fancy work appropriate for Xmas presents for young and old, at the Xmas market of the L. A. S. P. C., on Tuesday evening December 21st.

While in Brunswick last Friday we were pleased under obligations to Messrs. T. S. Griffin, J. A. Merchant, Dr. J. F. and George W. Cunningham, for planking down their subscription dues to the Corncrier.

HERE WE ARE AGAIN.

J. D. Butler desires to state to the public that he is still in the grocery business at the same old stand, and that he will sell staple and fancy groceries way low down for cash or produce.

Our good and reliable friend, J. N. Doughty, of Muscle Fork, called in last Thursday to renew faith with the Corncrier for 1887. Mr. Doughty has been a subscriber to the Keytesville paper ever since Keytesville gave birth to an enterprise of that kind in 1871, then known as the Keytesville Herald, edited by Wm. Maynard, now of Moberly.

C. A. Chapman shipped 161 head of fat hogs to St. Louis last Thursday, which were placed on the market by Messrs. Jas. H. Campbell & Co., and brought \$3.40 to \$4 per hundred pounds. Chas. reports that he was treated very gentlemanly by Messrs. Campbell & Co., who spared no pains in getting the top of the market for his porkers.

—WE MEAN BUSINESS.—

All those indebted to the firm of Messames Brooks & Lowry are earnestly requested to settle their indebtedness by the 1st of January, 1887. By a failure to comply with this request your account will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection.

Respectfully,
Messames Brooks & Lowry,
Keytesville, Mo.

Look out for the RED CROSS.

Damsels delight in Drexel's Bell Cologne.

Go to Crowder, Salisbury, for photographs.

The photographs made at Crowder's gallery, Salisbury, always give satisfaction.

Sold gold rings in endless variety at J. E. Zilhart's, on the north side of Main street.

If you wish to keep the correct time, go and buy a watch or clock from J. E. Zilhart.

Misses Minnie Wilson and Lutie Kuhn are expected home from Carrollton next Monday.

Don't forget that J. E. Zilhart is the place to get bargains in watches, clocks, jewelry, etc.

Call at Wheeler & Gilliam's and see those beautiful swinging lamps. They are selling them cheap.

Mrs. W. E. Williams returned last week from a visit of several days to friends in Saline county.

Take your produce to P. W. Holley. He will pay you the highest market price in either cash or goods.

Bad weather can keep people away from an evening prayer-meeting, but it rarely gets the best of a circus.

In hoods, fascinators, toboggan caps, nubias, shawls, etc., etc. We have the largest line in Chariton county.

Parties desiring to put up ice can procure it for fifteen cents per load on the bank of the creek.

Parents and teachers would do well to remember that permanent deafness has been caused by such a homely reproof as a box on the ear.

Call and examine our line of overcoats and suits, and we will make you prices that cannot be beaten anywhere.

A. EMANUEL & SON.

A woman in Austria found a \$2,000 diamond pin in a can of Chicago pork recently. It is not stated where the rest of the hotel clerk was found.

DON'T FORGET.

The Xmas market to be given by the L. A. S. P. C. in the dining room of the Wheeler House on Tuesday evening December 21st.

Ladies call at A. Emanuel & Son's store and examine that large line of cloaks, in all the latest styles, such as boucle, Berlin, twill, English Glasse, etc., etc. Also a large line of short wraps.

A Western man advertised that he would for \$1 mail information that would make food entirely unnecessary. A citizen of Jordan, Canada, sent his dollar, and by return mail got the directions. "Take a dose of poison."

Rev. H. B. Watson, of Glasgow, assisted by Rev. W. F. Bell, commenced a protracted meeting at the Methodist church on last Saturday night. No interest has been manifested, as yet, further than very attentive audiences.

If you find a RED CROSS opposite your name on the margin of your Corncrier, you may know that unless your subscription is paid between now and the 1st of January your name will appear in the list of delinquents to be published at that time.

Take all of your eggs, butter, turkeys, chickens and all other country produce to George B. Oldham, Salisbury, Mo., who will pay you the highest market price in groceries, dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, etc., at prices low down.

Geo. B. Oldham, Salisbury, Mo.

Mrs. John C. Miller, of this place, has quite a curiosity in the way of a piece of bread, known as ship biscuit, which was brought from England by the Pilgrims to Dorchester, Mass., in 1630, and which has been handed down from generation to generation. This antiquated and historical piece of "the staff of life" is kept in a small glass bottle tightly sealed, and is of a dark brown color, and is greatly prized by Mrs. Miller.

PELTS AND POULTY.

Having rented the basement in the rear of the Farmers' bank I want all the hides, pelts, furs of all kinds, dressed chickens, turkeys, eggs, butter and all kinds of country produce that I can get, and for which I will pay the highest market price in cash. Parties having large lots of poultry for sale will please call and see me before selling. I can and will pay you more for hides, pelts and furs than any other house in town can afford, and I will pay you the CASH. It will therefore be to your interest to give me a call.

C. L. WHITE, Keytesville, Mo.

PLEASE RESPOND.

Having lost my all in the fire which destroyed my agricultural implement house, together with contents, and my blacksmith shop on Monday Dec. 6, '86, I would respectfully ask those indebted to me on note or account to come forward and settle and help me in my sad misfortune. I have been your friend when you wanted work and needed credit, and I trust that you, in turn, will pay what you owe me, as I need the money to rebuild my shop.

Very Respectfully,
J. P. TERRY, Keytesville, Mo.

FRESH OYSTERS

Served in any style at Chas. Schell's.

For fine candies go to F. Hansman's.

Buy your cakes and candies at Hansman's.

Ladies, call on Chas. Schell for the best oysters.

When needing oysters, place orders with Chas. Schell.

A full stock of candies for the holidays at F. Hansman's.

Go to the barber shop over post-office, if you want a sea foam or shampoo.

P. W. Holley wants 5,000 dozen eggs, and will pay for them in either cash or goods.

Call at Mrs. M. E. Miller's and see those handsome mufflers, so nice for a Christmas present.

Try some of that choice syrup at Butler's—You'll find it excellent in quality and very cheap.

See that beautiful lot of Jersey pins, cuff buttons, bracelets, etc., just arrived at Zilhart's.

If you want a nice easy shave, or a good hair cut, go to L. Sneed's barber shop.—Over postoffice.

I have the largest and best stock of queensware and glassware in town and am selling very cheap.—BUTLER.

My stock of canned goods is complete and fresh. A large line of California canned goods on hand at BUTLER'S.

BRICK WANTED.

50,000 good brick wanted at once. Call on or address L. E. Cook, Keytesville, Mo.

Crowder's photographs, Salisbury, are becoming more popular each day and bid fair to reach a world-wide reputation.

Read the advertisements in the Corncrier, and buy of the firms who advertise. They will give you good bargains and make you happy.

LOOK OUT.

Ladies of the Presbyterian church. "Christmas Market."

During Xmas week, we

HUNTERS.

Are hereby warned, especially fox hunters, not to hunt within our enclosures without a written permit.

WHEELER BROS.

In dress goods we carry all the latest styles, such as triot, boucle, ottoman suiting, cashmeres, dress flannels, etc., etc. and trimmings to match.

A. EMANUEL & SON.

READ.

As I am compelled to have money to meet my bills, I desire everybody knowing themselves indebted to me, on note or account, to call and settle at once.

CHAS. SCHELL.

In boots and shoes we carry the largest line in Keytesville, and which are sold at prices that cannot be duplicated by anybody.

A. EMANUEL & SON.

FOR SALE.

My French Stallion Roscoe. Will trade for other stock or take good notes on reasonable time.

Address, E. H. TAYLOR, Malcomb, Chariton county, Mo.

Harry Coy, of a 14-year-old son, of Andrew Coy, of Missouri township, while skating on the ice on Wednesday last week, fell striking his head on the ice with such force as to receive injuries from which he died on Friday.

Rev. Broadus, of Glasgow, will conduct the dedicatory services at the new Baptist church. Bethany, five miles northwest of Keytesville, on next Sunday, Dec. 19, at 11 o'clock, a.m. All are cordially invited to attend.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

From Keytesville depot on the 18th or 19th of November, 1886, a black mare with big ankle on left hind leg, and left hip knocked down. Any information leading to her recovery will be liberally rewarded by Wm. H. Wilson, Westville, Mo.

DIED.—Of throat disease, one mile east of Keytesville, on Monday night, Dec. 13, 1886, Mrs. Richard Vaughn, aged 44 years. Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church, in this place, Wednesday morning by Rev. C. Dewesse, after which Mrs. Vaughn's remains were interred in the City cemetery. A husband and four children survive to mourn their sad loss of a wife and mother, and have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

If you do not want to be published in that list of delinquents come in and pay your subscription between now and the 1st of January, 1887.

Look and see if the RED CROSS IS ON YOUR PAPER; if so you are indebted to us on subscription and are earnestly requested to pay your arrearage.

The entertainment given at the Opera House for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday night of last week, noted the association \$14.05. The musical and literary part of the programme occupied more time than was anticipated and on that account the spelling contest was omitted. The quartets, duets, etc., were very much enjoyed, and the recitations by Mrs. W. F. Summerville and Misses Lucy Cook and Bert Kellogg were well rehearsed and highly entertaining.

A full line of zephyrs at Mrs. M. E. Miller's.

Thyme less sweet than Drexel's Bell Cologne.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Hill spent Sunday in Kansas City.

Sam'l. Smith, of Missouri township, was in the capital Monday.

J. M. Hamilton, of Salisbury township, was on our streets Tuesday.

Messrs. Jas. Cuddy and 'Squire Miles, of Missouri township, were in town Tuesday.

Without a peer for distemper, loss of appetite, and general debility is Day's Horse Powder.

F. T. Dysart, of Moberly, visited the family of N. B. Parks, in this place, the latter part of last week.

It conquers colic at once, Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. It is safe and sure. Try it. Price only 25 cents.

"HACKMETACK" a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by W. C. Gaston & Co's.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. For sale by W. C. Gaston & Co.

Mrs. M. E. Miller still has a well selected and choice line of hats, which she is now selling at astonishingly low prices.

Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consumption. For sale by W. C. Gaston & Co.

Will you suffer with Dyspepsia and Liver complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. At W. C. Gaston & Co.

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. For sale by W. C. Gaston & Co.

Catarrh cured, health and sweet breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal Injector free. For sale by W. C. Gaston & Co.

Whether it comes from indigestion or nervousness, Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills always relieve and cure headache. Try them. Price 25 cents.

For dyspepsia and liver complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. W. C. Gaston & Co's.

The CORNCRIBER family acknowledges the receipt of a gallon of very palatable apple-butter, presented by Mrs. Wm. Kuhler, of near Centenary church.

Are you made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow skin? Shiloh's vitalizer is a positive cure. At W. C. Gaston & Co's.

Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness, and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. At W. C. Gaston & Co.

Itch and Scratches of every kind cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. This never fails. Sold by Martin & Applegate Druggists, Keytesville, Mo.

Mr. W. R. Graves, of Wetherfield, Md., writes:—I suffer sometimes with acute rheumatism, and your Salvation Oil gives me instantaneous relief. I cordially recommend it as a sure cure.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a purely vegetable compound, innocent in nature and wonderful in effect. For children it is invaluable, curing croup, whooping cough, etc., in a few hours. Price 25 cents.

Don't forget that J. L. Potts will be on hand this Christmas with a full and complete line of clocks, watches, jewelry, silverware, etc., suitable for the holiday trade. Will have more to say next week.

Prickly Ash Bitters warm up and invigorate the stomach, improves and strengthens the digestive organs, opens the pores, promotes perspiration, and equalizes the circulation. As a corrector of disordered system there is nothing to equal it.

MONEY! MONEY!

We would respectfully solicit those of our customers who are indebted to us on account to come in and settle as we need the money due us, and we trust you will show your appreciation of favors extended by settling at once.

FINNELL & PARKS.

Buicklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Sal Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetters, Chap ped Hands, Chiblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. C. Gaston & Co.

EXCITEMENT IN TEXAS.

Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex., by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head. Everybody said he was dying of Consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery was sent him. Finding relief, he bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills; by the time he had taken two boxes of Pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and had gained in flesh thirty-six pounds. Trial Bottle of this Great Discovery for Consumption free at W. C. Gaston & Co's.

AT COST. - - AT COST.!

STROUSE'S

GLASGOW. MO.

Winter is drawing rapidly to a close, and we still find ourselves heavily overstocked on all classes of Winter Goods. These goods were bought at the lowest prices ever known, and it would be money in our pocket for us to keep them as a speculation, still we have no room for them, so they must be sold. A word to the wise is sufficient to remember. THE EARLY BIRD CATCHES THE WORM.

handsome quality in 12 different colors. Red undershirts for children, an exceedingly low price.

Hosiery for children guaranteed all wool and 15 different colors.

Barge Velling per yard, 7 different colors and nice quality.

Gloves for ladies, lined and extra handsome quality all colors including black, all sizes.

Belts for ladies, a variety of styles.

Black and white silk Spanish laces extra wide elegant goods worth fully 50c a yard.

Mittens for ladies, all wool any size and extra quality.

Hoopskirts for ladies good quality.

Breakfast shawls, 7 different styles, a remarkably low price.

Jersey caps for children in all colors and quality.

Pocket knives, 2 blades and a corkscrew handle a great bargain.

Spectacles, German silver, per pair.

Flower sifter, large size and best quality.

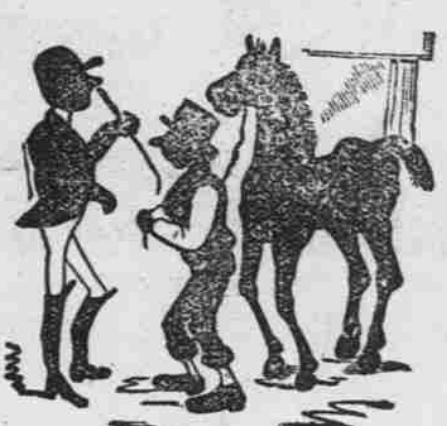
Washboards good quality.

Water buckets wooden something great. Coffee pots half gallon.

Buckets covered half gallon.

Buckets open gallon and a half.

Largest size canned fruits, following varieties, immense bargains, apples, blackberries, damsons, gooseberries, peaches, raspberries, strawberries, corn, tomatoes, mackerel, etc.



goblets and waiter in 3 different colors, actual value is \$2.50.

Razors, Wostenholm, and Wade, and Butcher's best quality, worth fully \$1.50.

Boys' boots good quality any and all sizes heavy for winter wear.

75C WILL BUY

Carpet warp 5-pound bundles. Arctic overcoats, wool lined, for men, best quality, all sizes, did you ever hear of such a low price.

80C WILL BUY

Silk velvets in 20 different colors, also black, guaranteed pure silk, goods that are sold everywhere for \$1.50 remember our price is only 80c.

\$1 WILL BUY.

Sealskin caps for men satin lined and all sizes, worth fully sold everywhere for \$3.50 to \$4.

Woolen goods for men a very fair quality, well lined any and all sizes.

Cloaks for ladies, made of nice material and all sizes, greatest wonder of the 19th century.

Here's where we knock them cold.

Granulated sugar 15 pounds.

Standard A sugar 17 pounds.

Light brown sugar 18 pounds.

Coffee, best quality, 8 pounds.

Coffee, fair quality, 10 pounds.

Rice, best quality, 21 pounds.

Arbuckle's roasted coffee, best quality made, 7 pounds.

\$1.10 WILL BUY

Silk Flashes, guaranteed pure silk, in 27 different colors, also solid black, a marvel on low price, these goods are sold in every city in the United States for \$3, an immense bargain.

\$1.25 Will Buy

Jeans coats for men, extra heavy and good quality, also flannel lined.

Men's boots heavy and extra good for winter wear worth fully \$3.

Men's calf boots nice quality, all sizes.

Men's stiff hats finest quality in both black and brown newest and latest styles, are sold all over at \$3.50, don't fail to see them.

Sell per barrel very best quality flat hoop barrels.

\$2 Will Buy.

Flour, High Patent Roller Mills, guaranteed to be the best; per hundred pounds, only \$2.

Boys' boots long legs for men any and all sizes, very best quality and warranted not to leak, come early and secure a pair at these low figures.

Boots and Shoes.

The largest assortment of boots and shoes ever brought west of New York City will be found in our establishment.

We have everything that you want from the best to the cheapest, in fact, just think of it we have an assortment of over \$30,000 worth of boots and shoes, and we will guarantee our prices to be 25 to 30 per cent lower than any house in the United States.

You will want to know how we do this; we will try to explain: we purchase our boot and shoe stock from the manufacturers in large quantities for cash, and we defy the world to equal our prices and we feel assured you will be convinced of what we have said:

Men's Arctic overcoats, at 75c.

Men's heavy boots, good quality, all sizes, only \$1.25.

Men's calf boots, good quality, all sizes, only \$1.25.

Ladies' calf shoes, good quality, all sizes, at only 25c.

Boys' heavy boots, good quality, all sizes, at only 50c.

We are also sole agents for the celebrated Geiscke boots and shoes, which are the best boots and shoes manufactured in the world, and we will sell